Class Title: Cement Finisher

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE CLASSIFICATION:

Repairs and maintains concrete sidewalks, curbs and gutters, bridges, roads, sea walls, and other structures. Performs ice, snow and storm debris removal.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:

This information is intended to be descriptive of the key responsibilities of the classification. The following examples do not identify all duties performed by any single incumbent. Specific requirements of individual positions are described in the Job Description.

	Physical Strength Code	ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS
1	VH	Repairs concrete areas by removing unsafe curbs, gutters, sidewalks, driveways and roadways, setting forms and grading areas using various equipment and tools while ensuring proper water run-off.
2	VH	May perform specialized bridge maintenance by repairing bridge decks, girders, pilings, abutments, replacing damaged railings and guard railings, cleaning and painting steel girders and bearings, repairing seawalls, repairing joints and repairing bridge lights.
3	VH	Maintains and repairs asphalt by repairing damaged surfaces such as potholes, utility cuts and small resurfacing by use of various equipment and tools.
4	VH	Finishes concrete by pouring concrete, raking, floating, troweling, edging, cutting joints, and brooming cement using various equipment and tools, building and designing forms for special projects, designing and shaping concrete for specific jobs.
5	M	Responds to emergency situations by removing ice, snow and storm debris.
6	L	Performs other duties as necessary by acting as supervisor, providing training, and cleaning and maintaining equipment.

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CLASS REQUIREMENTS:

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Formal Education / Knowledge	Work requires knowledge necessary to understand basic operational, technical, or office processes. Level of knowledge equivalent to four years of high school or equivalency.
Experience	One years experience in Cement Finishing, or as Equipment Operator II, Asphalt or Concrete Operator.
Certifications and Other Requirements	Valid Driver's License. Requires a CDL within six months of appointment.
Reading	Work requires the ability to read operating instruction of various power tools, general correspondence, memorandums and letters, plans, blue prints and federal specifications.
Math	Work requires the ability to perform general math calculations such as addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.
Writing	Work requires the ability to write monthly maintenance reports for vehicles, filing time sheets and job site dimensions.
Managerial	N/A
Budget Responsibility	N/A
Supervisory / Organizational Control	Work requires the occasional direction of helpers, assistants, seasonal employees, interns, or temporary employees.
Complexity	Work involves choices of action within limits set by standard practices and procedures. Professional judgment is required to apply the proper course of action.
Interpersonal / Human Relations Skills	Contacts others within the organization. These contacts may involve similar work units or departments within the City which may be involved in decision making or providing approval or decision making authority for purchases or projects. Works with individuals outside the City who may belong to professional or peer organizations. Working with various state and federal agencies may also be required. Vendors and suppliers may also be called upon for information on purchases, supplies or products. Meetings and discussions may be conducted with customers, brokers and sales representatives.

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OVERALL PHYSICAL STRENGTH DEMANDS:

Sedentary	Light	Medium	Heavy	Very Heavy X
S = Sedentary Exerting up to 10 lbs. occasionally or negligible weights frequently; sitting most of the time	L = Light Exerting up to 20 lbs. occasionally, 10 lbs. frequently, or negligible amounts constantly OR requires walking or standing to a significant degree.	M = Medium Exerting 20-50 lbs. occasionally, 10-25 lbs. frequently, or up to 10 lbs. constantly.	H = Heavy Exerting 50-100 lbs. occasionally, 25-50 lbs. frequently, or up to 10-20 lbs. constantly.	VH = Very Heavy Exerting over 100 lbs. occasionally, 50-100 lbs. frequently, or up to 20-50 lbs. constantly.

PHYSICAL DEMANDS:

C = Continuously	F = Frequently	O = Occasionally	R = Rarely	N = Never
2/3 or more of the time.	From 1/3 to 2/3 of the time.	Up to 1/3 of the time.	Less than 1 hour per week.	Never occurs.

This is a description of the way the job is currently performed; it does not address the potential for accommodation.

PHYSICAL DEMANDS	FREQUENCY CODE	DESCRIPTION
Standing	С	Repairing concrete/asphalt, observations, inspections, repair and maintenance work
Sitting	О	Driving
Walking	F	Field work, observations
Lifting	F	Forms, concrete, pins, tools
Carrying	F	Tools, materials
Pushing/Pulling	F	Raking and grading
Reaching	F	Tools, materials, changing light fixtures
Handling	F	Forms, concrete, pins, tools
Fine Dexterity	F	Using tools
Kneeling	F	Setting forms, checking grade, finishing concrete
Crouching	F	Driving pins, setting boards
Crawling	F	Under bridges, finishing cement, setting forms
Bending	F	Picking up tools, finishing cement, setting forms
Twisting	F	Retrieving tools, picking up signs
Climbing	N	
Balancing	N	
Vision	С	Observations, driving
Hearing	С	Staff, supervisor, public
Talking	F	Staff, supervisor, public
Foot Controls	О	Driving, operating equipment
Other (specify)	N	

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MACHINES, TOOLS, EQUIPMENT, AND WORK AIDS:

Dump truck, snowplows, salt spreaders, finishing tools, air hammer, compressor, drill, hammer, concrete saws, hand saw, string line, straight edge, shovel, rakes, floats, portable rollers, chain saw, boats, scaffolding, lift trucks, cranes, generator, power tools, backhoe, cones, signs, arrow boards

ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS:

D = Daily	W = Several	M = Several	S = Seasonally	N = Never
	Times Per Week	Times Per Month		

HEALTH AND SAFETY		ENVIRONMENTAL FACTO	RS
Mechanical Hazards	D	Dirt and Dust	D
Chemical Hazards	D	Extreme Temperatures	D
Electrical Hazards	M	Noise and Vibration	D
Fire Hazards	M	Fumes and Odors	D
Explosives	N	Wetness/Humidity	S
Communicable Diseases	S	Darkness or Poor Lighting	S
Physical Danger or Abuse	D		
Other (see 1 below)	N		

PRIMARY WORK LOCAT	TION
Office Environment	
Warehouse	
Shop	
Vehicle	
Outdoors	X
Other (see 2 below)	

(1)

(2)

PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT REQUIRED:

Safety vest, hard hat, safety shoes, safety glasses, ear protection, knee pads, gloves, safety harness, life jackets

NON-PHYSICAL DEMANDS:

C = Continuously	F = Frequently	O = Occasionally	R = Rarely	N = Never
2/3 or more of the time.	From $1/3$ to $2/3$ of the time.	Up to $1/3$ of the time.	Less than 1 hour per week.	Never occurs.

NON-PHYSICAL DEMANDS	
Time Pressures	F
Emergency Situations	O
Frequent Change of Tasks	F
Irregular Work Schedule/Overtime	O
Performing Multiple Tasks Simultaneously	F
Working Closely with Others as Part of a Team	F
Tedious or Exacting Work	O
Noisy/Distracting Environment	F
Other (see 3 below)	N

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